Stonewall

Stonewall, Sept. 5.- (Too late for last issue).- I am so sorry to hear of so many deaths over the country in this week-end holiday. Wish so much that people would drive with more care and save lives.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Raddin have returned from their honeymoon, and spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Thomas. They are leaving today for their new home in Blacksburg. We wish them much happiness in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Seay and Mrs. Essie Chick, of Lynchburg, spent the week-end at the Seay's country home near here.

Mrs. Charlie Spain, of Colonial Heights spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parks Jennings, and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Dyess and son. Mrs. Spain gave the mission study book at Hebron Baptist Church last Friday night, which was enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. Henry Beard and Lawrence, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drinkard, Mrs. Alma Jennings, Mrs. Lucy Drinkard, Mrs. Walter Freeman and Anne Marie, and Mrs. Lowell Thomas and baby son, Edward, of Lynchburg and Concord, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Chick on Sunday. Also Mrs. C. D. Carson and her two grandchildren, Nancy and Linda Smith visited the Chick home Sunday night.

We were all so glad to see Jo Anne Crance back home, after spending the summer in Florida with her father.

Miss Kitty Cox, of Farmville spent the week-end with Misses Winnie and Barbara Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Cantrell Smith and girls, of Lynchburg spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thomas and family, of New Jersey spent the week-end here with his home folks, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs Lester Carson visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carson, at Spout Spring on Saturday night. Glad to hear Mr. Carson has improved enough to go back to work.

Miss Shirley Kidd has returned to her home in Portsmouth, after a two-week visit with her grandparents, the Rev. and Mrs. John P. Leitner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Kidd, Miss Janet Hedgepethy, and Miss Joyce Lewis, of Portsmouth spent last week with the Rev. and Mrs. John P. Leitner, all returning home Friday.

Mrs. Howlette Drinkard, Sr., and son, Lee joined her family at the Martin home today for a picnic dinner and a reunion of the family for a holiday get-together.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Drinkard, of Lynchburg visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Chick for today.

Misses Nancy and Linda Smith returned home today after a visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Carson.

Mrs. Minnie Burnette spent Sunday in Lynchburg with Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Burnette.

Oakville

Oakville, Sept. 8.- (Received too late for last issue). Rev. Aaron D. Smith is helping his brother with a revival in Luray, Va., all last week and part of this week. His brother preached at Mt. Comfort Church on Sunday morning, with a large crowd present.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hunter, of West Va., spent the week-end with her mother, and attended the "Hunters' Reunion."

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Snead, of West Va., spent the week-end with Mrs. Tom Gardner and Eethel. Mrs. Gardner had all of her children and their families on Sunday for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moore and daughter, Jane Ann, of Beckley, W. Va., spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Ellen Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Richardson and children, Betty Jo and Bill spent the day at Mill Mountain Saturday.

Mrs. O. W. Martin had all her children and their families for dinner Sunday, celebrating all the birthdays in August.

Little "Doug" Marshall is spending this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Moore.

Hixburg

Hixburg, Va., Sept. 7.- Charlie Williams missed his guess. With a strip of land near the Appomattox River, on Jim Carson's farm that had been moist all the summer, Charlie had a fine garden. On a recent Saturday, Charlie gathered two bushels of butterbeans. He looked over the rows, and thought he could pick SIX more bushels on Monday. That was where he was wrong. By that time the ground hogs had feasted on the vines and trampled the beans.

Early each morning and before going to Appomattox to work and when he came home in the afternoon, Charlie watched for their return. Finally, he killed three.

It has been said that when one ground hog has been killed, the others, "put out the word," and no more return that season.

Ruth Swan Brockwell, of Newport News, spent last week in her summer home here. Mrs. Jennie Young, her aunt, was her guest during the stay. Mrs. Brockwell will teach in Newport News again this winter.

Mr. Joel Watkins, Jr., of Farmville, called on Mr. Joel Coleman and the Willie Hixes on Wednesday. Sunday evening, Miss Marguerite Gilliam, of Appomattox, and her brother, Frank Gilliam, of Roanoke, visited the same Hix family.

Dupuy Sears, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sears, of Farmville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sears from Sunday until Tuesday.

Mrs. Mae Gilliam Clealand, of Richmond was also a guest of the Searses from Saturday until Monday.

Watkins McPhillips and family, of Richmond visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed McPhillips, from Tuesday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Adams were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Goin. The Adamses have been in Charlotte, N. C., only a month, but that was long enough for them to like the city and state.

Kathy Goin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pohn Goin, became ill Thursday night. She was rushed to Lynchburg General Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Audrey Webb Fox, formerly of Hixburg, now of California, recently fell and broke her arm.

Miss Charlotte Dohrimann and Mr. Don Mason, of Kansas City, Mo., recent guests of Mr. Clarence Brown, her uncle, flew back home on Wednesday.

Ed McPhillips did not feel well enough to go to Pamplin and teach the Bible Class at Elon Church on Sunday.

Mr. Hans van Nes Allen, of Tulsa is to arrive at this Circle River Farm on Friday

After being in two weeks with bad knees, Mr. Sears Hix, of Thomasville, N. C., hopes to get out on his feet this week.

Vera

Vera, Sept. 8.- (Late for last issue). - "Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord, Jesus Christ."
—Romans 5-1.

Well, the summer months are over, but we still have very hot weather. People will miss the lake season.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harvey, Mrs. Mildred Warters, Mrs. Ada Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Harvey, Debbie and Becky, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Harvey, Edward and Mary Geneva, Mrs. Leslie Coleman, Mrs. Berkley Drinkard, Mrs. Jesse Turnes, Mrs. Robert Coleman, Mrs. Len Moses, Mrs. Wade Ferguson, Mrs. Emma Lemon, Mrs. Homer Reynolds, and Mrs. Lillian Hatcher.

We are sorry to hear of the illness of Miss Edna Megginson.

Mrs. Lester B. Harvey visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey on Friday.

Mrs. T. C. Harvey, Jr., Sandra Kay, T. C. III, William and Don, and Mrs. Willie Moses visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey, Sr. on Monday.

Most of the tobacco has been cut.

MARSHALL - CALDWELL FAMILY REUNION

The Marshall-Caldwell annual family reunion, which met for the first time in 1939, met as usual on Labor Day Sunday, Sept. 4, with about 200 members of the clan present.

The president, Forrest Marshall, of Roanoke, gave the welcoming address, and those who had passed on since the last meeting were paid tribute to by Schuyler Marshall, of Appomattox, who also gave the invocation.

The long picnic tables under the spreading oak trees were laden with all the good foods that make a picnic.

This was the year for the election of officers, who serve for two years.

Edward L. Caldwell, past vice-president, was elected President, and Ben Marshall, of Appomattox, Vice-President, and Mary M. Galloday, Lynchburg, was re-elected Secretary and Treasurer.

Prizes were awarded the two oldest ladies and two oldest men present.

The social hours that followed were thoroughly enjoyed by all present and at a late hour everyone adjourned to meet again on Labor Day Sunday, 1961.

MAN'S BEST FRIEND

Henryetta, Okla.- While on a fishing trip with his dog, Jack Whipps lst his billfold and began a seach. He had no luck, and was about to give up when he glanced at his dog and saw the billfold in the animal's mouth. Inside was nearly $100.

Boxwood Can Be Injured By Deep Cultivation

Boxwood, and other shallow-rooted plants, can be killed with kindness.

Horticulturists at VPI warn against deep cultivation of such plants as boxwood, roses, azaleas, rhododendron. Deep cultivation, they say, often cuts many feeder roots that are close to the surface, and exposes others to the sun. Use a mulch for these shallow - rooted plants and eliminate digging to control the weeds. Do not make the mulch over 2 inches thick. Making a cone of soil or mulch around the plants also can be injurious.

The horticulturists also remind home gardeners to add materials to the compost pile during the summer. Use grass clippings, garden plants, scraps of vegetables, or clippings from pruning. The materials in the compost pile are of little value until after they have rotted, so hasten rotting. The rotting is caused by the work of certain organisms which must have nitrogen, moisture, and air. To supply nitrogen and at the same time increase the food value of the compost, spread about 1 pint of garden fertilizer, 5-10-5, over each 6-inch layer where the compost is 10 feet long and 5 feet wide. Also scatter a handful of lime over each layer unless the compost is to be used for such acid soil plants as azaleas.

A GOOD HOBBY

Buffalo,- A detective sergeant in Buffalo has made a hobby of donating blood. Joseph A. Wurzer estimates that he has given about 76 pints, or more than 9 gallons, since he began donating blood during the Sencond World War.

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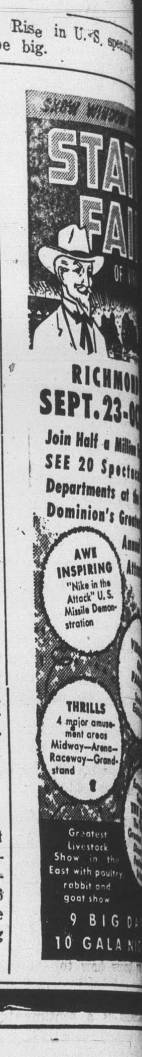

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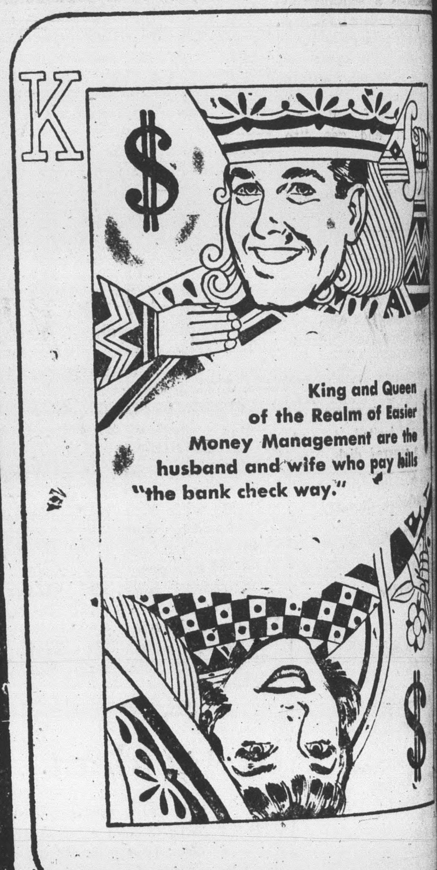

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

No News Like True News

Nothing makes a newspaper editor happier than a "scoop." But it seems to me some editors overdo it now and then.

Last week, for example, an editor claimed his paper was the first in his city to report the Mayor's "impending retirement." But, judging from the next day's edition of the same paper, the Mayor had other ideas.

As a result, the lead editorial in that newspaper then started off like this: "We are glad to be the first paper in the city to inform our public that the story of the Mayor's retirement is just a ...

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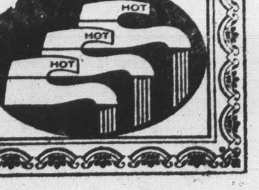

Colored Dots

The Gallilee Baptist Church will conduct an all Day service at the Union Baptist Church in Baltimore on the first Sunday in October. Final plans will be given out Sunday at the close of service for all members and friends who would like to go.

Impressive services were held at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church last Sunday morning at 11:30. The pastor, Rev. R. Q. Lawing delivered a soul-stirring sermon. The church choir rendered special music. A large number of visitors attended the service. The Lords supper was administered at the close of the service.

The baby contest sponsored by the usher board of the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church will come to a close on the third Sunday evening in this month at 3 P. M. A special musical program will be gvein by the local Appomattox Trumpteers and the Gospel Four of Naruna, Va. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Mary Susan Fleshman was conducted from the Promise Land Baptist Church Sunday at 2 P. M. The pastor of the church Rev. R. Q. Lawing, officiatedand delivired the eulogy. The church choir rendered music. The deceased was 90 years old. She died at her home here last Thursday after an illnes of several months. She leaves the following to mourn their loss: Two daughters, Miss Ava Fleshman and Miss Alberta Fleshman of Appomattox, and a host of relatives and friends. West Funeral Home was in charge. Burial was held in the family plot of the church cemetery.

The fourth anniversary of the Appomattox Trumpteers will be held at the Carver Price High School on this Sunday evening at 7:30. Eight different musical groups will be their special guest. The Rev. James Franklin will serve as master of ceremony. A silver offering will be taken during the half of the program. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The following local Appomattox young people left Tuesday for College: Miss Dian Tibbs and James Gaford to Virginia State College, and Miss Rosetta Lippford will leave Wednesday morning for Hampton Institute.

Mr. Herbert Allen is undergoing special treatment at the Veterans hospital in Richmond, Va. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemmuel Collie of Blackstone, Va. and their adopted daughter spent the past week end in the home of her brother and family, Rev. and Mrs. R. Q. Lawing.

Mrs. Katherine OCorner of New York will leave Wednesday, after spending several weeks as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lucy Tibbs.

The annual revival began at the Mount Obed Baptista Church last Sunday. A large crowd attended. The Rev. James Franklin will conduct the weeks service. The Rev. C. L. Elliott deliverd the 3 P. M. service. Dinner was served by the ladies of the church.

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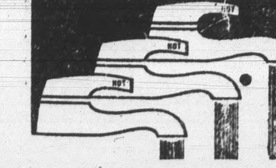

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